Dated:27 -9-2008.

ABSTRACT

APLC-LCQ.No.1529 (Std) Given Notice by Sri Budati Radhakrishnaiah, MLC Regarding eradication of Child Labour – Question deemed to be answered.

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L.C.Q. No.1529 (Starred) Notice Given by Sri Budati Radhakrishnaiah, MLC

Will the Minister for Labour and Employment, Factories & Boilers be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact child labour has not been eradicated completely in the State
- b) if so, the measures proposed to be taken in this regard; and
- c) whether there is any proposal to establish separate technical training institutes for the liberated child labour

<u>ANSWER</u>

- a) Yes, sir
- b) Action Plan is being finalized for eradication of Child Labour in prohibited occupations and processes in the State of Andhra Pradesh by the end of the year 2010.

Accordingly, a State Resource Centre (SRC) and District Resource Centres (DRCs) in each district are set up to make concerted and co-ordinated efforts to eliminate the Child Labour in Andhra Pradesh.

The activities of the National Child Labour Projects, Rajiv Vidhya Mission and Labour Department are converged through the DRCs at the district level under the supervision of the District Collectors.

Special Drives are undertaken to rescue and rehabilitate the Child Labour.

More number of RBC Schools are set up in all the districts to cover all the Child Labour.

Open courts are conducted to provide Minimum Wages to the Child, who are found working at the time of rescue and release operations.

c) Action Plan has also been finalised to provide Vocational Training to the Child Labour in the ITI/ITCs/RBCs under Rajiv Udyoga Sri so that child Labour will get gainful employment after 14 years of age.

(THE ABOVE ANSWER HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE HON'BLE MINISTER FOR LABOUR EMPLOYEMNT, FACTORIES AND BOILERS)

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